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Stated Meeting, March 19, 1844.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

Specimen of Terebratula caput serpentis, with the animal; taken 60 miles at sea, in 75 fathoms water, off the coast of Maine; also specimens of Anatifa striata and A. vitrea: and a specimen of Holothuria squamata, Mull., from Casco Bay. From Dr. J. W. Mighels, of Portland, Maine.

Sulphuret, Carbonate, and hydrated Carbonate of Copper, Kyanite, micaceous oxide of iron, and other minerals, from the Warrick Mine, Berks County, Pennsylvania. From Mr. Samuel Woodhouse.

A collection, in spirits, of reptilia, fishes, coast shells, &c.: also, a specimen of Alcedo ———, and one of Vespertilio ———; all from Africa. Presented by Dr. Day, of Liberia, through Dr. Reynell Coates.

DONATIONS TO LIBRARY.

Crania Ægyptiaca; or, Observations on Egyptian Ethnography, derived from anatomy, history, and the monuments. By Samuel George Morton, M. D. (From the Transactions of the Amer. Phil. Soc., Vol. ix.) 4to. Philadelphia: 1844. From the Author.

Catalogue of Books added to the Library of the Library Co. of Philadelphia, from 1835 to Jan., 1844. From the Directors of Library Company.

Catalogue of Skulls of Man and the inferior animals, in the collection of Samuel George Morton, M. D. Second edition. Philadelphia: 1844. From the Author.

A number of the Army and Navy Chronicle, containing certain recent proceedings of the National Institute; accompanied by a third circular from the latter Society, in relation to the intended scientific meeting to be held in Washington in April next. From Mr. Joseph R. Ingersoll.

The Chairman read a portion of a letter from Baron Humboldt, dated Berlin, Jan. 17, 1844, returning his acknowledgements for his election as a Correspondent.

Also, a paper by Dr. E. Hallowell, entitled "Descriptions of new species of African Reptiles," viz.: Eupressis Blandingii; Iscalus concolor; and Leptophis Curtlandii; which was referred to a Committee, consisting of Dr. Holbrook of South Carolina, Mr. Cassin, and Dr. Bridges.

Meeting for Business, March 26, 1844.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

The Monthly Report of the Corresponding Secretary was read and adopted, as were also the reports of several committees.

Prof. Johnson, by permission of the Society, then read a letter from the Rev. Dr. Morris, of Baltimore, accompanying several papers intended for publication, one of which entitled as follows, "Descriptions of new species of Coleoptera of the United States, by F. E. Melsheimer, of Dover, York county, Pennsylvania," was, on motion, read and referred to the following Committee: Mr. Haldeman, Dr. McMurtrie, and Mr. Markland.

The remaining papers were ordered to be laid on the table until next meeting.

William Oland Bourne, Esq., of Brooklyn, Long Island, was then elected a Correspondent of the Academy.

Stated Meeting, April 9, 1844.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

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